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CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer PATROCLUS," TIHE Undersigned has received instructions PIANOS by COLLARD & COLLARD. Balbernie, Shanghai via Coast Ports 16th filled Today. A further supply will be. CHEMISTS. from Hon. J. M. PRICE, to Sell by Public TOTAL ASSETS ON 1 JANUARY, L16,976,616 PIANOS by KIRKMAN. are hereby notified that the Cargo is being disready To-morrow morning. January, General.-JARDINE, MATHESON Austion, on for sale on convenient terms. charged into Craft, and/or landed at Daily Press Office. SATURDAY, Godowus of the Undersigned; in both cases it New Dance Programmes and Menus. Hongkong, 24th January, 1889. SURPLUS BY NEW YORK STATE } £ 2,437,612 the 26th January, 1889, at 2 r.m. at his January 23, Mitke MARU, Japanese steamer, will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be Demon Tennis Bats. Residence No. 5, West Torrace. STANDARD ..... 5 2.381, Sommers, Kutchinotzu 18th January, ready for delivery-from Craft or Godown on Custom House, Haggard's New Novel "Col. Quaritch." THE WHOLE OF HIS TRIPLE PRENCH ESSEN ES made in Kowloon, 23rd January, 1889. and after the 18th instant. Coal.-M. B. KAISHIA. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. Marine Painting by May. The Company is a purely Mutual one, no the Flower districts of the Maritime Alps. Goods undelivered after the 25th inst., will Comprising:-January 23, EME, British barque, 778, W. Sum-THE CHINA NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS liability is incurred by the Policy Holders. be subject to Rent. Alltdamaged Goods must Molloy's Gleanings on Science. TAPESTRY COVERED with PEUS WHITE ROSE, will be observed at this Office and at the and profits are divided among them evolusively. mers, Loudon 2nd October, General.-MRL be left in the Godowns where they will be ex-DRAWING ROOM SUITE: MORROCC Carpenter's Nature and Man. Customs Stations from the 28th day of the 12th aminol at 11 A.M., 25th inst. Of the three largest life insurance companies -MOSS ROSE, CHERS & Co. COVERED SUITE. Moon at 3 P.M. to the 6th day of the 1st Moon, Cobbe Scientific Spirit of Age. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. in the world, the ratio of Death Losses to (1) English made INLAID CABINET and at old A:M. 29th January Afternoon to 5th January 23, KWANG-LEE, Chinese str., 1,508, JASMIN. Premia, (2) to Interest, and (3) to Insurance in Haxley's Practical Biology. CHEFFONIERS with Glass, Backs, English-Hongkong, 17th January, 1889. February Forencon inclusive; and during that Andrew, Shanghai 20th January, General. Force in 1887, was lowest in the New York Anisley's Extra Master's Cuide Book. made. MAHOGANY WRITING DEBK. WOOD VIOLET. STEAMSHIP "AVA." period all Shipment, Discharge and Examination LIFE, whilst Interest receipts, since 1845, -C. M. S. N. Co. Maclean's Diseases in Tropical Climates. WRITING TABLE, VENETIAN MIR of Cargo will be suspended. NEW MOWN HAY, have exceeded lesses by death by over £600,000, COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES. Collier's Manual of Oil Painting. ROR, CHIMNEY GLASSES, STA F. A. MORGAN. showing careful selection of lives and careful TULTTE, and Tenkwood, GLASS HOOK MIGNONETTE. MARITIMES. CLEARANCES. Naval Engineer's Note Book. Commissioner of Customs for investment of money. Animal Physiology Furneaux. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. OPOPONAX, Kowloon & Districts. BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co.; GASALIERS and GAS BRACKETS. BRUSSELS CARPET and HEARTH NOTICE Sappho Illustrated Ed. Agents, Hongkong. PATCHOULI, MARLSBAD NATURAL MINERAL 23rd January. New Stock of Oil Colours. (MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London Hongkong, 3rd July, 1888. *Arratoon Apcar*, British str., for Singapore HELIOTROPE, &c. New Stock of Water Colours. U Ex S. S. "GUADIANA," from Antwerp are now imported in bottles and used in treat-DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD WHAT Stentor, British str., for Singapore. Sweet Caporal Cigarettes. • PATIZO Ex S. S. "PROVENCAL," Havre, Ex S In 1 Pint, 8 oz., 2 oz., and 1 oz. Bottles Glenroy, British str., for Shanghai. WALTER W. BREWER, DWIX IZD NOTE, DINNER, DESCRIPING BREAK ment of Chronic Gastric Catarry, Hyper-S. "TAMISE," and Bordeaux Ex S. S. "CONfast sets, glass & plated ware CEMIA of the LIVER, GALL STONES, CHRONIC UNDER HONGRONG HOTEL Thales, British str., for Swatow. GO" in connection with the above Steamer. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK and VIENNA: CHAIRS: Constitution, Diabetes, Renal Calculi. 22, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, are bereby informed that their Goods, with the Deucation, British str., for Amoy. GOUT, and diseases of the spleen arising from CORPORATION, LIMITED. DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEAD, BRASS exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, Hongkong. residence in the tropies or undarious districts. MOUNTED. Diamante, British str., for Manila. are being landed and stored at their risks at AUTHORISED CAPITAL ......£2,000,000 English-made OAK BED ROOM FURNI THE NATURAL the Company's Godowns, at Bowrington whence - TELEPHONE No. 60. CARLSBAD SPRUDEL-SALT delivery may be obtained immediately after In small and frequent doses is an efficient DEPARTURES. A COTTAGE PIANO, by Rosenkranz. Hongkong, 21st January, 1889. CO-OPERATIVE Registered Office, 40, THERADNEEDLE STREET, January 23, NATAL, French str., for Europe. DIVERTIC, but as an APERIENT it should be Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless taken BEFORE BREAKFAST, in doses of from 1 LONDON. January 23. PHRA CHULA CHOM KIAO, British COMPANY, LIMITED. CATALOGUES Will be issued. • Co. intimation is received from the Consignoes to 2 teaspoonfuls, dissolved in water. To in-ATUTLER, PALMER & BRANCHES IN INDIA, CRINA, JAPAN TERMS OF SALE. - As oustomary steamer, for Bangkok. ESTABLISHED IN LONDON, 1815 before 1 P.M., TO-DAY (FRIDAY), requestcrosso the APERIENT action of the Carlsbad J. M. ARMSTRONG. AND THE COLONIES. January 23, HIDRYOSHI MARU, Japanese str., . Are represented in China by ing it to be landed here. Mineral Water, a teaspoonful of the Salt, pre-Auctioneer. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the 1189 Mosses. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. ...... for Port Cockburn. viously dissolved in water should be added, THE BANK receives money on Deposit, Hongkong, 22nd January, 1889, WINTER SEASON. 5 Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues January 23, DIAMANTE, British str., for Manila. SIEMESEN & Co..... Sole Consigners for the U.K. & the Colonies: Goods remaining unclaimed after FRIDAY Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. & by ...... INGRAM & ROYLE, January 23, GLENROY, Britishstr., for Shanghai. WOOLLEN DRESS MATERIALS, the 25th inst., at Noon, will be subject to H. E. REYNELL & Co. in Japan .. and Transacts Banking and Agency Business. 52. Farringdon Street, London. January 23, STENIOR, British str., for London. rent and landing charges at One centi per MERINO and LAMB'S WOOL HOSIE RY generally on terms to be had on application. Subjoined are some of the items consigned by And of all CHEMISTS throughout the World. January 23, ARRATOON APCAR, British str., for packago per diom: WOOL SHAWLS, WOOL GOODS for these well-known Shippers. Interest allowed on Deposits:-All Claims must be sent in to me on or before SANITARY BOARD Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum the 28th inst., or they will not be recognized. Children, LADIES' JAPANESE SILK TO BE LET. January 23, Choysano, British str., for Wham-Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. No Fire Insurance has been effected. DRESSING GOWNS, EIDER DOWN THE attention of Owners of Property and COGNAC-Their popular "4 Star" quality and SMALL EUROPEAN RESIDENCE Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, their Agents is directed to Section 74 of best.—No better shipped, On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent: per No. 153, Queen's ROAD EAST. QUILTS, EIDER DOWN CUSHIONS, Ordinance No. 24 of .857, which provides that COGNAC-Their well-known "2 Star" quality Annum on the daily balance. Hongkong, 18th January, 1889. Apply to PASSENGERS. WOOLLEN RUGS, and SCOTCH MAUDS, no person who shall erect a domestic building LINSTEAD & DAVIS. FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL shall allow the same or any portion thereof to ARRIVED. SCOTCH WHISKY. White & Scarlet BLANKETS, ALL WOOL Hongkong, 24th January, 1889. SINGAPORE. Per Charana, str., from Shanghai, &c -1 BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the be occupied until such building shall have been See Separate Advertisement. FINE Steamship. FLANNELS, NEW MILLINERY, WALK-European and 46 Chinese. BALANCES of such Claims purchased on examined by a duly authorized Officer of the NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. Per Kwang-lee, str., from Shanghai.-Mr. and advantageous terms. SANITARY BOARD and certified by him as irish whisky. "GLENROY," ING BOOTS, and SHOES, &c., &c. Mrs. Johnsford and 2 servants, Messrs. Carl Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE Assurance | having been built in compliance with the entire | The Best-Only one quality consigned. BRITISH BARQUE "EME" FROM LONDON having arrived from the above ports, Consignees Frampton and Shuttel, and 154 Chinese. provisious of the Public Health Ordinance. of cargo by her and by the S. S. Greece. E. W. RUTTER, Notice of the completion of all such buildings NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovefrom New York are hereby informed that their BALL SEASON. Per Natal, str., from Hongkong,-For Saigon. PORT—"INVALIDS." the construction of which was commenced after Manager, Hongkong Branch. . / named Vessel are hereby requested to send goods, with the exception of Opium, are being in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned -Mr. and Miss Fontaine, Mrs. Hexter and Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. [11] the passing of the Public Health Ordinance. Invalids in particular are recommended to select landed at their risk into the godowns of the RICH MOIRESILKS & SATINS, BEAD-1887, should be sent to the Undersigned. L'Abbe Joan Marie Valour, Mr. and Mrs. Yuethis Wine. See special Advertisement. for countersignature, and to take immediate-Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown ET ONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING pot Benoit and child, Mr. H. Marquez, Misses ED SILK NETS, OPERA CLOAKS and WM. EDWARD CROW, delivery of their Goods. CORPORATION. Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence deli-Rodrigues, and 6 Chinese. For Singapore.— Acting Secretary. SHERRY. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel very may be obtained. HOODS, SATIN SHOES all Shades and Messrs. D. D. Laing, C. Nodol, and L. Denis, Sanitary Board Room. will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk PAID-UP CAPITAL ......\$7,50°,000 For Connoisseurs the following Wines have Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice For Marseilles.—Mr. and Mrs. R. Correa Mendes Government Offices. Sizes. KID. SUEDE, and SILK GLOVES, their own distinctive merits-RESERVE FUND ...... 4,000,000 to the contrary be given before Noon, TO Hongkong, 18th January, 1889. and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barahona, Major No Fire Insurance has been effected. The"INVALUES;" pale, delicate, fine flavor. RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPERTIONS 7.500,000 SILK and LISLE THREAD HOSE, NEW Silva and children, Messrs, A. P. Baines and Jas MELCHERS & Co., 'Amonoso," a Stouter Wine, very popular. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 28th HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAG Patterson. From Shanghai.—For Marseilles.—. FRILLINGS, FANS, FEATHERS, MANZANICLA," a clean dry appotising Wine. COURT OF DIRECTORS :instant, will be subject to rent. STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. Mr. and Mrs. Rox and infant, Messrs: Adamson Hongkong, 23rd January, 1889, ... Hop. John Bell-Inving-Chairman. SHEERY-WHITE SEAL," a special favorite in No Fire Insurance has been effected. Con FLOWERS, PERFUMES, &c., &c. and Kiss. From Yokohama.-For Hongkong. W. H. FORBES, Esq.—Deputy Chairman, D. Bottomley, Esq. S. C. Michaelsen, Esq. G. Brodie, Esq. J. S. Mosos, Esq. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. China, very delicate and soft. signees are also requested to present all claims -Messre. Gonello, Cornn, and Kaffare. For DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY for damages and/or shortages not later than D. Bottomley, Esq. Saigon.—Messrs. Mallarvin and Lepérard. For . S. Moses, Esq. I'HE FORTY-FIFTH ORDINARY the 2nd February, otherwise they will not be CLARET. Singapore.-Capt Chalk, and Mr. Porter. For H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. L. Poesnecker, Esq. HALF YEARLY MEETING OF FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI. Perfectly pure Bordeaux, not loaded to please recognized. Marseilles.—Mrs. Lamarlo, Messrs, Berrick and J. F. Holliday, Esq. Hon. B. Layton, N. A. Siche, Esq. SHAREHOLDERS in the Company, will be Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Blythe. From Kobe.-For Hongkong.-Mr. vitiated palates. The DRESSMAKING and MILLINERY MIE Company's Steamship held at the Office of the Company, No. 18, Bank Mouron .....in quarts and pints. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. and Mrs. Coxwell, and 3 Chinese. For Mar-Buildings, Queen's Road Central, on SAT UR-Hongkong-G. E. Noble, Esq. Hongkong, 21st January, 1889 LAROSE,.....in quarts and pints. DEPARTMENTS are under the Personal "FORIEN" seilles --- Mr. Penny DAY, the 2nd February, at 12 o'clock Noon; MANAGER ST. ESTEPHE .... in quarts and pints, THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL Per Diamante, str., for Manila, Messrs Cantain Lewis, will be despatched for the above for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. MARGAUX-MEDOC in quarts and pints, Ambrecio Ruste, H. Barrenengua, J. A. Tayler, STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, Ports on SUNDAY, the 27th instant, at Supervision of Experienced EUROPEAN LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK Directors together with a Statement of Ac-Mrs. Clinck and child, Juan Mariano, and 4 DAYLIGHT. LIMITED. counts, declaring a Dividend, and electing For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Chinese, deck. assistants. IONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. SENHUICTINE from the Monasterv. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company On Current Deposit Account at the rate . P. & Co. are the Sole Consignors of this General Managers. will be CLOSED from 20th instant to 2nd REPORTS. per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. FROM LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE world wide known Liqueur. Hongkong, 24th January, 1889. February inclusive. On Fixed Deposits:-The Chinese steamer Knoong-lee, from Shang-For Prices apply to either of the above Firms THE Company's Steamship For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. . By Order of the Board of Directors, "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS COMPANY, LIMITED. hai 20th January, reports had strong monacon marked \* For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. T. ARNOLD. Hongkong, 21st January, 1889. " MOYUNE," and fine weather. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. FOR TAVRE, HAMBURG, AND having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees The British steamer Choysang, from Shang-Hongkong, 14th January, 18-9. LONDON. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. TANE, CRAWFORD & of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods / INHE Steamship hai via Coast Ports 16th January, reports from CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns MASONIC BALL, 1889. Shanghai to Amoy and thence to Swatow strong every description of Banking and Exchange of THE HONGRONG AND KOWLOON WHAR HAVE RECEIVED A N.E. winds with high sea and overcast sky. " MERIONETHSHIRE,' AND GODOWN COMPANY, KOWLOON, whence MASONIC BALL, under the auspices NEWSTOCK HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK Dowling. Commander, will be despatched for DRAFTS granted on London and the chie delivery may be obtained. of the District Grand Lodge of commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, the above Ports on or about the 31st inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Good PIPES, CIGAR and CIGARETTE HOL SHANGHAI SHIPPING. Hongrong and South China, will be America, China and Japan. For Freight or Passage, apply to have left the Godowns, and all claims must be DERS TOBACCO POUCHES, TOBACCO at the CITY HALL, on FRIDAY, the 15th CHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are ADAMSON, BELL & Co.. G. E. NOBLE. sent in to the office of the Undersigned before BOXES, CIGAR CUTTERS, CIGAR-BOX 9, G. H. Wappaus, British bk., from Foochow. February. Brethren wishing to Subscribe, respectfully informed that, if upon their Chief Manager, Noon, on the 27th inst., or they will not be re-9, Yiksang, British etr., from Nagasaki. LOCKS, CIGAR & CIGARETTE HOLbut who may not belong to a Lodge in this arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company? Hongkong, 24th January, 1889. Hongkong, 4th September, 1888. DERS, SMOKER'S LAMPS, & SMOKER'S District, are hereby informed that Lists have 10, Wismar, German str., from Nagasaki. Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are t REQUISITES of all kinds. 10, Kinng-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya been placed for their convenience at STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA-A FRESH SUPPLY OF be left in the Godowns, where they will be 10, Glenavon, British str., from London. Central, will receive prompt attention. The Hongkong Club. SAKI AND KOBE. DULES OF THE HONGKON examined on the 26th inst.; at 4 P.M. SMITH'S GLASGOW TOBACCOS. 10. Shanghai, British str., from Hankow. In the event of complaints being found Club Germania. (Passing through the Inland SEA): GLASGOW MIXTURE, SMITH'S 'SAVINGS BANK. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any necessary, communication with the Undersigned The Masonie Club. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship 10. Feima, British etr., from Nagasaki. Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 27th SMOKING MIXTURE The Office of the Hongkong Hotel. is requested, when immediate steps will be taken 10, Ingo, German str., from Nagasaki. GLASGOW BIRDSEYE, GOLD LEAF instant, will be subject to rent. I.—The business of the above Bank will b The Office of the Victoria Hotel, 10, Stentor, British str., from Liverpool to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. " VERONA," HONEY DEW, CUT NAVY & HARVEST Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice. conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai The Hongkong Dispensary, will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, 10. Hever, German str., from Nagasaki. D. GILLIES. Banking Corporation, on their premises in to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-The Victoria Dispensary, MOON. 11. Tungchow, British str., from Ningpo. the lat February, at Noon. Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 LA PERLA DEL ORIENTE 11, Fushun, Chinese str., from Hongkong. Messrs. Dakin Bros. Hongkong, 26th August, 1885. E. L. WOODIN. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1. 11, Yuen We, British str., from Hankow. Lane, Crawford & Co. Superintendent. 2.—Sums less than 31, or more than \$250 at COMPANIA GENERAL ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Kelly & Walsh: 12. Klang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. BORNEO TIMBER. Hongkong, 23rd January, 1889. one time will not be received. No depositor CIGARS. More & Seimund. 12, Meefco, Chinese str., from Swatow. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. FITTHE BRITISH BORNEO TRADING Hongkong, 21st January, 1889. L. C. & Co.'s Special Brand "THE Falconer & Co., 12, Kinng-foo, Chinese str., from Hankow. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having LIMITED. AND PLANTING COMPANY, CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO 12. W. C. de Vries, British str., from Hankow Gaupp & Co. \$100 or more at their credit may at their option EX O. 8.S. CO.'S S.S. "DEUCALION." FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND LIMITED. 12, Alwine Seyd, German str., from Nagasaki transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-FINEST Are prepared to supply NEW & VALUABLE The Subscription is limited to \$10 for CAIRO. and 12, Dorothy, British bark, from Nagasaki. FROM LIVERPOOL. PORTS, SYDNE<del>Y, AND</del>hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for TIMBERS for Ship and House Building, Masons, and \$5 for each Guest invited (non-CIGARETTES 12, Sir Wm. Wallace, Brit. bk., from Sydney MELBOURNE. 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. MIPPING Orders must be obtained from the TANE CRAWFORD & Co. Furniture, Wharves, &c., in round or square Masons). 13, Tungchow, British str., from Ningpo. FITHE Company's Steamship 4.-Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per Undersigned not later than the 24th just., Logs. Beams, or Sawn to any specification. Hongkong, 14th January, 1889. ALF. WOOLLEY, 13. Hae-shin, Chinese str., from Foodhow. annum will be allowed to Depositors on their for shipment per stemmer "JASON" Small samples can be seen at the Office, where 13. Scochow, British str., from Swatow. & WALSH, LIMITED, daily balances. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, also Price List and Description can be obtained Hongkong, 18th January, 1889. 13, Yehsin, Chinese str., from Chefoo. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis and larger samples at our Godowns, East Point Allison, ommander, will be despatched as above Hongkong, 22nd January, 1889. 13, Kwang-chi, Chiuese str., from Chefoo. The Hongkong Almanack, 1889, containing with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with on FRIDAY, the 8th February, at Four P.M. The above Company have arranged for Regular MIDWIFE AND MONTHLY NURSE 13, Choy Sang, British str., from Hongkong OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. a mass of useful local information.— each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must Shipments to be made by the Provincia, Purana, The attention of Passengers is directed to the 13, El Dorado, British str., from Nagasaki. not make any entries themselves in their Pass- and other large steamers direct to this port. A RS. MACLEOD, a CERTIFICATED MID superior Accommodation offered by this NONSIGNEES per Company's Steame 13, Bengal, British str. from Hongkong. Letts Date Blocks. Shakspeare Calendars. Books, but should send them to be written up VI wife, is prepared to attend LADIES Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., " DEÚCALION?" 13, Lee-yuen, Chinese trans., from Chinkiang Imperial English and Chinese Diary. at least twice a year, about the beginning of are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis situated forward of the Engines. Second Class or to Act as NURSE. First Class Testimonials 14, Tokio-maru, Jap. str., from Yokohama. Agents. Almanck de Gotha. Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refri-January and beginning of July. Address Care of Matron, Lunatio Asylum. charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go Hongkong, 24th October, 1888. 14. Chi-yuen, Chinese str., from Nagasaki. New Stock of Rodgers' Penknives, Pocket 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the gerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Hongkong, 11th September, 1888. downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will 14. Yoritomo maru, Jap. str., from Kuchinotzu. Knives, Nail General, and Office Scissors. Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly M A-R I N B U R K lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready 15. Fah Wo, British str., from Hankow, Winsor & Newton's Oil and Water Colour Business is forwarded free by the various SPECIALITIES. qualified Surgeon is carried. for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after 15, Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. MANUFACTURER Brushes. 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Mr. HENRY NORMAN, amongst his other discoveries in the Far East, has found an ice The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains breaking muchine at Vladivostock which he thinks is destined to play a most important part in international policies. It is universally believed that Violivostock is a closed port for four months out of the twelve -isolated by impassable ice from about December 17th to April 17th. And this is regarded as the natural explanation of Russia's supposed necessity to press gradually southward for an open port in Korea or below it Such, Mr. NORMAN tells us, is not the case A man-of-war-and therefore a dozen-can be got in or out of Vladivortock Harbour in case of urgent need at any time of year. There is an American ice-breaking machine there, which on a trial trip last winter broke Plan of Town and Environs of Singapore. a channel through the thickest part of the ice, one hundred feet long and six fathoms Bank. wide, at a pace which would take it out bo-A full Chronology of remarkable events since youd Goldobio Point, where the ice is naturally more or le broken, in three or A description of Chinese Festivals, Jests. &c., four days. We further told that Patrocla Bay, and caper ally the bay further to the south-east, are practicable bays all the year round. This statement is made on the the Chambers of Commerce of Hongkong Intrength of the fact that last year two A nericar ships get up there unuided. The beet Hongkong Lighthouses Storm and Fire ing of these facts upon he what question save the Pall Mall Gazette correspondent. of closely printed matter, to which reference is polytique, as it is of the hat importance, especially to England and he United States. "It Russia has what she needs, she is under no temptation, to seek it clear here." But Russis has not what the needs. Ico-breaking machines are very useful things; they are

largely employed to break passages for merchant ressels in some of the North American ports whose waters are frozen in winter, and of Burmah & Thibet Convention, course they would be equally effective in cutting a passize for men-of-war in times of peace, but if the talented writer, whose remarks we are now noticing, had only pictured to himself the figure such a machine would present as she approached the cutward end of the track she was set to cut and found herself under the fire of a bostile man-of-war, he would hardly have fallen into the mistake of supposing that any ice breaking machine in the world can render an ice-bound port the equal of one that is naturally open all the year round. A small cunboat, would be sufficient to blocker Vladivoatick in the ice meason, whereas if Russia were in possession of Port Lazareff a very considerable, possibly the main pertion of the British squadron would be tequired for that purpose. That Russia will

as soon as she considers it safe to make

THE importance of life assurance is now so

of a doubt.

generally recognised that it is almost the exception to find a married man of the educated classes who neglects this means of making provision for those dependent upon him in case of his death. Residents in the East, however, are placed at a disadvantage as regards the cost. It is supposed that the Customs and Harbour Regulations for the dif- climate is inimical to their health, and they have to pay higher premiums than are charged at home. One Association, we observe with satisfaction, is advertising a reduction of one half in the extra premium charged on this account, and we hope its example will be followed by all other offices doing business in this district. The question as it affects India was discussed recently at a meeting held under the auspices of the East India association, the subject being introduced by Mr. P. TAIL. the well-known ingurance statistician. The Times, in a brief paragraph noticing the impression that a vest improvement has taken place within the last few years in the value of European lift in India, and there are those who stout! contend that Englishmen run as little risk to India as they do in England. On the other hand, it is said that the unperalleled overwith now imposed on Europeans in India, the comparative imepoverishment of men on fixed incomes by reason of the rise in prince, the heavy burden on many arising out of adverse ex- of soal, value of \$10, the property of Lo Tax changes, and the goner I deterioration in Hing. the staminal elements of budietary of Europeans ourside the Presidency towns, all adversely affect the bushli and longevity of Europeans in India. The result of Mr. tention of dredging for it afterwards. TAIT'S elaborate and complete investigations

of all the available facts presented to the

meeting is that the value of life among Eura

and that this amelioration is likely to continue: that at present we are without the means of exactly measuring the extent of this amelioration; that hence it is quite premature reducing the rates for India to the European standard." The idea of making a man pay extra for insurance because he is robbad of a quarter of his income by an adverse exchange seems possiliarly bard. The import ant point to be noticed, however, in Mr TAIT's conclusion that the value of life among Europeans in India has improved, is he thought it was empty, and having nowhere to beggar. improving, and that this amelioration is likely to continue. If this be so, as we think it undoubtedly is, insurance rates must come The cause of the improvement is not far to seek. Experience has taught Eurgpeans how to guard against the dangers of the climate, sanitary measures have been introduced, and the local application of the science of hygions has been made more per-119 feet. Probably also there is less high living, and the increase of marriage amongst Europeans will also not be without its effect

on the general health. The conditions in the dollar in Court and asked for change. Wit Hongkoug and China are much the same as in India except that the climate is not quite to begin with. In Hongkong, unfor charge, ely, the last lew years have shown a -ciation-instead of an improvement of

public health, but that is due to tempore l v and preventible causes which will disapis ar as the insanitary conditions which have misen are rectified. There is a very general impression that the extra charges for life is surance in the Far East are too high, and tile Companies doing business here would [We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinion find it to their interest to reduce them: for that high charges prevent the growth of business, in insurance as well as in every other line, there can be no doubt.

Invitations have been issued for a Naval ball t e given at the City Hall on the 6th February.

Prizes and presents to the public of the Vicoris Home and Orphanage will be distributed by Lady des Voeux to day. A "pick-up" Cricket match will be commenced

members put down their names on the lists.

of cargo will be suspended. A general parade and inspection of the Government Fire Brigade was held at their head-

quarters yesterday afternoon, after which Mr. riorspool, the Acting Superintendent of the Brigade, and Mr. Cooper, of the Public Works Department, tested the pressure of the new water supply mains at the City Hall with most satisfactory results. Two splendid streams were obtained from a single stand pipe, reaching far above the City Hall, and to about the height of the flag-staff on the Hongkong and Shanghai

There appears to be quite an epidemic of robberies just now, owing, perhaps, to the near approach of the China New Year. It was only on Crawford & Co.'s, and during the twenty-four hours ending at midnight yesterday, besides one or two small robberies from Chinese, two of Meers. Watson & Co.'s assistants had their irousustances connected with these robberies all of the international policy of the Pacific is, ployed about the premises are probably impli- Chinese Government was about to invite the cated and it behoves all householders or eni- sait tish dealers, who left : cone three years ago ployers of labour to be on their guard

ably improved during the last two evenings by the interior and in a less advantageous position tain. the electric light, which has been placed over the than their present settlement, its herbour being, a small installation fitted up, and the whole of moreover, rather shallow, and during ebb tide none the offices are now lighted by electricity, in- but the smallest sampans are able to enter it. candescent lamps being used inside, while that outside is the arc light. The dynamo used is the arrivals of junks and lorohas have been in worked by a small gas engine. A rumour has been current during the past week as to the in Hongkong, and it has also been stated that cadence of Macao. the Telegraph Company would be, if not the promoters, considerably interested in it. Whatever truth there may be in the first part of the the Company's premises being, solely for their own use and convenience.

A football match will be played on the Causew. Bay ground, under Association rules, to-day, ween the Bankers (colours) and the Club intes), play to commence at 4 p.m. sharp. The ollowing will play for the bankers :- J. Armtrong. D. W. Gilmour, J. Gray, J. Moffat, A. G. Stephen, F. N. Firth, F. A. Carvalho, C. Evans. E. Travers, G. McNair, and W. H. Wallace (Captain). -The following team will represent

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LONDON, 21st January. SAMOA. The Germans at Samos have burned all the American houses upon which flags were displayed, and some sailors fired on a Captain and Lieutenant of a British war vessel.

POLICE COURT.

23rd January. Before Hon, H. E. Wodenouse,

AN ABUSIVE WORKMAN.

U Ayau, carpenter, was charged with disorderw conduct and making use of abusive language. J. Ullmann, storekeeper, No. 74, Queen's road, said his private residence was at Baxter House. aine Road. On the 23rd instant, at 7.80 a.m. as he was going to business, he passed through the cookhouse. He saw defendant there. He had been sent by the contractor to do some remirs. Witness took him up into one of the rooms to show him what was required to be done Defendant began spitting on the floor, and when told not to, he became abusive and assumed a days, the thermometer registering yesterday threatening attitude. Witness was obliged to morning 47 Fahr, and today 50 Fahr. have him removed by a constable. Fined 32, or, in default, fourteen days' im-

KIDNAPPING CASES. Li Afuk, convicted of decoying Chun Shun Change into this colony for the purposes of emigration, was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment with hard labour. Chun Yeung, convicted of a similar offence. was sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

THEFT OF COAL.

From the evidence of the watchman in the employ of the complainant, it appeared that prichai, and threw the coal overboard, with the in-Prisoner was sentenced to six weeks imprison-

ment with hard labour. . . AN UNWELCOME VISITOR. Wong Chenng was charged with being found

instator an unlawful-purpose. Complainant, overseer of works to Messrs. Bird and Palmer, living at West Point, eaid that on the 20th inst., about 9 p.m., he went down to the ground floor of his house to fasten the doors, number of weavers, but no one was injured. when he found defendant invite the house near the kitchen. He asked him what he was doing there, but getting no answer, gave him into

The constable, who took the prisoner in charge, stated that as he was taking him to the station, complainant's wife ran after him and gave him s chopper, which she had found. Prisoner denied all knowledge of the chopper He said that seeing the door of the house open,

go, went in there to pass the night. Sentenced to fourteen days' imprisonmen with hard labour. THE KUNG ON PAWN SHOP BOBBERY. Li Chan was again brought up, on remand, charged with being concerned in burglariously

entering the Kung On pawashop and stealing therefrom goods to the value of \$110. After hearing defendant's statement his Worship sentenced him to three months' imprisonment as a rogue and vagabond. ATTEMPTING TO PASS COUNTERFEIT COIN.

U Achan was charged with attempting to pass

counterfeit coin. Kwok Achung, accountant at the Wan Toi should be closed every night at eight. tea shop, said that on the 22nd just, defendant came to the shop for some twi. He gave witness ness told him it was a had one and refused to take it. He insisted on his it is it and created a great disturbance. Witness gave him in

Defendant stated that he did not know the dollar was a bad one. He had get it from the Kwong Hing Yun shop. P.C. 268 said he had taker defendant to the shop, but nobody there knew him mor could he point out anyone who had given him the dollar. Six weeks' imprisonment with hard labour

CORRESPONDENCE.

expressed by our Correspondents.

THE PUNDITA RAMA BAI AND HER WORK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE 'DAILY PRESS." Six.—In your issue of the 21st justant, I see | the Clima ports. a letter about the Pundita Rama Bai from Mr.

lines in a corner of your widely read journal, - adequate manner." Yours truly,

Hongkong, 23rd January. 1889.

MACAO.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

23rd January. Some time ago, when I grave you the news that number of shops and residences were being erected at Chin Shan (Casa Branca, there were Monday that we reported one at Messrs. Lane, not found wanting people who came forward questioning the verseity of the information. Any one may now see for himself and verify the truth of my assertion, for not only have the Chinese watches stolen, and a gentleman, staying at Mrs. constructed those new builings, but they are Stantield's boarding house, had his box broken engaged in reconstructing and extending point to the fact that servants or coolies em- ground on the foreshore. It is said that the trated

The China New Year is first approaching, and much smaller numbers than in former years. proposed formation of an Electric Light Company From this fact can well be estimated the de-

The public chest can by no means be filled, but it would seem that it is, judging by the them to call on all, the community having rumour, we are in a position to state that the many thousands of dollars that are spent one grown so large. latter part is wholly without foundation, the month or another in passages home of officers machinery which has recently been fitted up in and other Government servants. Some go on leave of absence, others by prefer of the Minister, and others on sick leave. Luder the last mentioned head several have gono whose stoutness and state of health would put some athletes in the

> Candido da Silva (retired) and family, Dr. Barahone and Srs. Barahons leave for Lisbon by the rest in peace; for the verations arising from French mail steamer Natal.

> The gunboat Rio Lima will leave to-day for Timor, conveying the prisoners accused of and Persia, which altereth not, but may be mothe assassination of Governor Alfredo Maia. It is more than a year that these poor fellows have made to form rules out of confusion. been confined in the Monto Fort awaiting their not secure amough to keep them.

Health of Macso, was appointed to the Rio Lima. The Independente is now conducted by a new to his son, Sr. ( austancio da Silva, advocate and

member of the Municipal Chamber. will arrive, and who can tell if he will arrival at Lishon from Cape Verde on the 13th Teixeira da Silva, and not Sr. Teixeira Ghima. It is altogether a mean practice. raens as stated by the Extremo Oriente. Sr. Tei.

xeira Guimaraeus was Colonial Secretary of

Macao and has held similar office in Portuguese Macao minus its chief attraction; it seems that the Bishop, who is the President of the Administrative Government, refuses to grant licences for the usual gambling stalls. For the gamblers to ruin themselves there are enough means in the fantan, weising, and pak-kop-piu dens.

The weather has been rold for the last fow

SUMMARY OF THE "KWANG-PAO."

22nd January.

stance of a memorial to the Throne presented by

The Kwang pao of to-day gives the sub-

the Board of Rites soumerating the various Ng Ayan was charged with stealing two tons ceremonies that should be observed on the occasion wrong and does not hold (so far as I know) in the torohes, fire-crackers, and general din. The London, whose business it is to control Holyrood of the marriage of His Majorty the Emperor. any other port of China. The ordinary practice | chanting of the praises of Kwan Tai by a pro- Palace. What did he? He sent back word Full details are given in the document as to where the musicians are to be stationed, how soner, with about tenother men, went on board a many coolies are to carry the chairs, what kind boat containing coallying off the Prays at Wan- of obeisance should be paid the Imperial Bridegroom, and so on. The document is not completed, and the latter part will, it is presumed, follow shortly.

A woman dressed as a man with a queue avoids

opeans in India has improved, is improving, in the house of Joseph Houghton, on the 20th detection for a considerable time until she is discovered by a kidnapper, who takes her away by force to Hongkong.

An altercation takes place between a good Advertisement inserted by Dr. Haning, who seems desirons to extend his clientèle by expatisting on his morits.

The Chinese at Macao were very much struck by the presence in that city of several Indians. who went about playing on some instruments and begging money. This was the first time, they thought, they had ever seen a foreign

A child was kidnapped and kept in a house, but the father coming across it one day, took it back to his home.

Another attempt is made by a humanitarian to distribute rice among the poor, but his good intention proved futile, consequent upon the interference of several rowdies. A man cutches a thief, but recognizing in him

relative, he restores him his liberty. As robberies have been so frequent in Kweishan the Magnetrate has ordered that the gates A theft takes place in a school, the books and furniture being carried away.

THE ETIQUETTE OF UALLING

At a recent meeting of the Tientain Literary and Debating Society a discussion took place on Tientain Eliquette. The Secretary read the opinious of seven correspondents; and a prolonged and interesting discussion took place which is thus summarised by the Chinese Times: 1 .- Re Bachelors' Calls: it was the unanimous opinion of the meeting that the established rule in Tientain is for new arrivals to call on the old residents, but that an exception is made in favour of naval officers, on whom the residents usually first call. One speaker mentioned the interesting fact, not generally known, that in the United States the custom of calling conformed to that of European countries, excepting in the city of Washington, where the opposite rule prevailed

new comers calling on the old residents, as in 2.—On the vexed question of the calls of mar-Francis, with the aim and substance of which I | ried people coming to the port, there was great fully agree, and so will all right thinking men diversity of opinion as to what rule actually preand women. Mr. Francis invites the ladies of vails, and as to its possible improvement. A this colony to give their assistance to Pundita tentative vote was taken with the result that it Rama Bai in her single-handed mission, but ac- was carried by five to two that "It is expedient cording to my ideas it is quite impossible to get that the residents take the initiative in calling a sum of \$10,000, and nobody will come forward on newly-arrived married people." This was also on Saturday, at 11 s.m., if a sufficient number of to give such a large amount woone time. But commended by four out of seven correspondents. if Mr. Francis will take up this charitable pur- | 3 .- On the question of returning calls, the which are now lying in the Hongkong Club and pose and circulate a list aincom the community correspondents, especially those of the fair sex. of this colony, including the lindiaus, there is no strongly insisted on the obligation of returning doubt that the list will be filled up within a short | calls, without any exceptions. The speakers The China New Year holidays will be observed time. And I fully hope that the ladies and gent implied that a mere return of cards by a coolie at the Kowloon Custom House and at the Cust tlemen of this colony will willingly give their was equivalent to the "out direct"—but that a toms stations from the 29th inst. at 3 p.m. to mites in a work of such a philianthropic character. formal invitation to the house was an acceptable Tuesday, the 5th Feb., at 11 a.m., during which I would venture to suggest also, that since Mr. equival at for the return call, and obviated the period all shipment, discharge, and examination | Francis has set the ball roding, he must not incoestly of a busy man losing time during the pause, but do all he can to promote this highly bours of business. The meeting could only be got to agree to the somewhat bald resolution :

Thanking you very much to insert these few | "All calls ought to be acknowledged in some 4.-Notwithstanding the support of the Prasident and one lady and gentleman present the custom of New Year's calls was on the whole condomn d, the reason given being that the commanity and out-grown the conditions favourable to it. The expediency of exchanging salutations and good wishes on the "Rink" or in the "Gorden" as an aquivalent was generally admitted. The motion "That New Year's calls ought to be

discontinued" found five supporters and five op-5.—The prectice of issuing and filling up bal programmes before the event was vigorously conemned by correspondents and speakers, with one exception. It was agreed that it favoured the lazy man, engendered eliques, and was unfair to strangers and guests.

6 .- In the matter of street salutations, the adherence to each one's national custom as thought on the whole to be less inconvenient that trying to form a general rule. The diversity of practice open and one hundred dollars extracted. The the walls and reclaiming large tracts of among different nationalities was curiously illus-

Two ladies strongly urged the claims of the "at home ' to replace the dull dinners, stiff musical evenings, and selfish dancing parties. and settled themselves on the Laps island, to gentlemen argently commended the practice of The Queen's Road, in the locality of the come over to Chin Shan; but the rumour seems the host of hostess introducing to each other relegraph Company's offices has been consider- to lack foundation, for Chip Shan lies further in strangers who happened to call simultaneously, and asserted that such is not the custom in Tien-

> We appind extracts from letters received from three lady correspondents:-

1.—Bach slors should call on the ladies when they arrive here. 2.—The desidents ought to call on married neonle visiting the port, or settling in it. pleased to see their friends, it is too much

5.—The practice of filling up Ball Proand most unfair.

I consider that as Tientsin is a small port and inhabited by people of so many nationalities. it must necessarily have a code of etiquette of its own. On the principle of doing in Rome as shade, such as, for example, Secretary Costa the Romans, people would probably conform to Captain Correis Mendes and family. Major right and west is wrong. We at this time seem to follow the code hid down by some exalted At He T'sun. To Cheung, and Cheung Sha, in an almost unlimited supply, however, of highly lady in the year 1, whose memory cannot easily

the observation of her rules are constant. Surely etiquetto is not as the law of Media dified to suit peculiar conditions and circumstances. I therefore hope some attempt will be

People's feelings are hurt every day by the trial, it being alleged that the prison at Dilly is present absurdities. I protest against the rudeness of some married gentlemen who do not and will not return the calls of bachelors, but who Dr. Barahona was the only Naval medical on the totally insufficient reason of want of time and practitioner here, and as he had to leave for home refuse to return the courtesies paid to their wives Dr. Carvalho, who belongs to the Board of and therefore to themselves. Cartainly less than ten bachelors settle here in one year; and I cannot believe any man so busy as to be unable to return so limited a number. Does the bachelor editor, Sr. Joséda Silva having retired from jornal in the first case not sacrifice his time in making listic arens, leaving the editorship of the paper the call? !!!!quette in its very essence involves mutual forbearance, and self-sacrifice, and I think it would be better to have none at all than to

violate openly its first principles. It is not yet known when the new Governor On similar grounds I condemn the previous filling up of ball programmes. It is altogether after a cessation of several weeks, but mild and taking to steam and machinery—may prove a come! The papers have long ago reported his salish and calculated to destroy the fair field readily ourable. In a family of twelve where greater power even than the cheap land of the and no favour which has been the proud pri- ten were attacked, all recovered under some West. St. James's Gazette. vilege of lacties in the ball-room. It is grossly medicine I had previously left there. In several December. The Governor is the Rear-Admiral unfair to those gentlemen who are strangers, of the larger places, as here, we find guilds or

joyable institutions, for friends and foes may tously given by one man to the amount of \$300 should be at once contradicted or confirmed meet and for the time feel so amiable that reconciliation may be brought about. I would prefera talking "at home" at one house, a musical at The China New Year will pass off this time in another, dancing at another, so that the literary, the musical, and the dancers would all have the chance of having, as our consins say, "a very good time."

Street salutations from French or gentlemen of other nations to English ladies before introduction) should be answered or left alone socording to the amiability or reverse of the ladies.

make the ecquaintance of married people, must However the native doctors fared, several pro- James I, of England and the VI. of Scotland taken the initiative and call, but a bachelor can minent ones have recently died. The guess is in the adjoining room, and that immediately have a Club and business, or official or sporting that at Canton and vicinity the mortality by after the birth the child was removed and acquaintance with a married man without calling | Cholers was upwards of 1,000. on his wife, until he happens to make her acquaintance, in which case it certainly makes | Cholera also prevailed, so it would seem to be of real child, the real James, is the infant wrapped things pleasanter if he calls. Amongst bachelors, the large place where our hospitals are, even to in cloth of gold, lying under that stone, who formal calls seem the height of absurdity unless Hongkong, Cholera being largely attributed to was the other child who afterwards reigned as there is great disparity in age or position. 2.-Married people visiting the port cannot the Cholera devil. Various idolatrous expedients this question ever occur to the authorities?

rather a long one. Permanently settling is lieved in or sought after. Here idolatrous pro- are said to have treated the discovery. They different; here the rule of Tientein is distinctly cessions abound and the night are hideous with telegraphed at once to the high personage in is for residents, married and backelor, to call on cession of men and boys was to me an interest. "to make no fues about it," but to replace the new-comern who are married, and also on single ing feature in one of thema. We notice the baby in cloth-of-gold marked "J" under the

perative. It is one of the strongest of social North and West rivers we also get reports of Mary Stuart's baby, and the rightful heir, who obligations to return a call even if you don't the unusual severity of Cholers, as at Shin was that other haby P and why, when the supposmean to keep up any acquaintance with the Xwan Ng I han, Lien Chow, etc. At the latter ed original turned up in cloth of gold, was there person. Ladies must return each other's calls, place Dr. Swan gives reports of 30-40 deaths no fact to be made? If this is all a mare's nest and married mon the calls which bachelors make every twenty-four hours at the time of his visit it is high time that people who go over Holyrood

might be arbitrary action taken in the matter embarked and quarantined.

enough if a busy man goes out dining without our limits. having to call afterwards. B.—P. P. C. calls. Unnecessary except on one's

intimate friends. C .- Street salutations. It is best on the whole with much advantage to the people of Kwangto keep to one's own national custom, whatever tung, giving suggestions, and inviting to the that is: then one is consistent, whereas trying different Hospitals - Editors.] to please everybody is apt to land one deeper in the difficulties one is endeavouring to escape him, D.—General style of social life in Tientsin. mong the many social institutions which fourish bere the "at home" is lacking. This is a pity, for it is the best invention of civilized man, or rather woman. It commits hostess and freshment question is solved by tea and coffee | apinners. That industry was started with the and what are vaguely called "drinks," cool in intention of supplying only the local markets. and cakes. It avoids the limitations of a dinner, But in 1873-74-75 a very rapid extension took the frivolity of a ball, and the constraint of a place, no fewer than seventeen new mills having musical party. An ideal "at home" is a function been started in the last of these years. Then at which you can assist without surrendering followed a brief period of depression, partly due your independence, injuring your digestion, or to the general over-production of that time and apsetting your ordinary habits. It ought to partly to the cheapened cost of transit between

social amusement.) Conversation is the main of culture and want of sympathy are the great there is a dearth of either in Tientsin.

LAST SUMMER'S CHOLERA EPIDEMIC.

The epidemic of cholera nostras which visited this colony last summer prevailed throughout the Kwangtung province. In the last number one of them earning a less dividend than 6 per of the China Medical Missionary Journal we find the following contribution:

Dear Editors, After a ramble over many miles of the province to this head-quarters of quackery, immorality and heathenism generally, 15s. to 18s. per month, and the doffer-boys from

MIN LOR, 3rd October, 1888.

we send you a few notes by the way. Facts they are, so far as such are getatable in factories require on an average three times, the China, and the conclusions we leave to you, only remarking that in our experience, the Cholers, | number of spindles in English factories. or Choleraic Diarrhosa, which has carried off so many hundreds, has not seemed to us to be of 'Asiatic" type, but sporadic and not particularcontagiors. We find it in the "wet" and the instructions of the chamber, commenced in First we notice, it was decreed this year was subject. Having held twenty three meetings

to have a particularly large mortality. As, for and examined many well informed witnesses, the instance, one of a number of placards I got on board was unable to agree in its report, and, this subject says: "The Goddess of Mercy after the fashion to Royal Commissions, two resays, out of every ten, four or five would die this | ports were issued-one by the majority, the year. Mr. Tung brought this message from other by the minority. The majority reported the Emperor, if not so, I am a thief, etc. In the that the growth was mainly due to geographical 8th or 9th month the postilence god will come, advantages, proximity to the cotton fields on one and if at cockerowing any one knocks at the hand and to the consuming markets on the other door, do not answer but pray, 'Kan Yam, save These advantages are partly, though not cettirsus from this plague and difficulty? meanwhile by neutralized by the fact that the coal and nearstriking the bell or any brazen utensil, and each Iv all miscellaneous stores have to be importone take a cup of wine and medicine, beside pute ed from hagland. According to the report ting some in the water-jar, and all will be well." of the minority, the growth is mainly due The merit of circulating this information is to "the great fall in Eastern exchange also given: "If you communicate it by word since 1873." In discussing the subject, the of month or poster you will be safe; by posting minority point to the important fact, that while ten copies you will save your family, and 100 the trade has been expanding the geographical copies issued will save your neighbourhood; but if advantage has actually been diminishing—inas-you refuse to so do you will vomit blood and die." much as the cost of transit from England to In-And among many other prescriptions which dis and to China and Japan has decreased to the

they preferring, as several told me, to take in from the fall in the rate of exchange has been 4.—Christmas and New Year calls ought to their "shingles" at such a time—I have one steadily increasing. One important fact, howbe discontinued as, although the ladies are very from some great Dr. Wa T'o of the Three ever, has been overlooked by the minority. of a Kingdom period, revealed by Planchette in view When the cotton industry was started in India tax for the gentlemen, and quite impossible for of this year's grievous plague. city, where a form of cholera seems to have be than Englishmen, on account of defective ingun as early as the 4th month, and in all more dustrial training as well as inferiority of mental grammen before the event is very reprehensible than 1,000 are reported to have died. During and physical powers, to learn the trade. Consethe 7th month there seems to have been little or | quently the industry could only live a feeble life none there. At Ku Taing near by, it was until such a degree of efficiency had been attained specially virulent, and a kind of quarantine was as would render the manufacture of the coarser established against incomers, many also left the yerns profitable, and when that standard of

> of a whole family dying and left to the worms. regaining their lost trade are very few. With Hoi Ping district, it was also severe. onely carrying about the idol, whose business it effort to improve quality and reduce cost of was to drive away the cholera flend, and others production, to retain their trade in the finer soon after the bot tramp about town or from yerns. With regard to the fall in the rate of place to place was over.

> It seemed to be, as here, quite severe in some such a fall has taken place and must take place small towns and country places. At Tung Chun, whenever gold becomes scarce, and the fall must of several hundred inhabitants, at first reported favour the Indian manufacturer at the expense almost depopulated, we had credible informatof his English competitor. tion of the death of almost a hundred. Though very near there we were unable to get there, pid and endden growth of the Indian cotton ness aversion to talking about the plague as i volution. Just as the opening-up of the great affecting them. On inquiry they would say, American corn districts brought to the Euroknown to be prowling about, he is called the ment of the Indian cotton industry may give

for tiger, which they fear to mention.

individuals issuing printed directions, and at If people have space "at homes" are most en. Young Kong, at least, pills and powders gratui. tale of "ancient Holyrood" which he says 'twas said. One evidence of the large mortality Some visitors who lately went through the is here apparent in the many newly-made graves Queen of Scots' spartments there were shown on the vacant land around the town. Many of by the guide, who seemed to have spoken a little the tembs are here noteworthy. They are beyond his commission, a certain passage and a shaped like a large bake-oven, rounded over at large jutting stone like a step, and the followthe top, with a number of holes the size of the ling ourious statement was then let fall. A short brick left out at each end. Looking into these time ago, when some repairs were being made you see the large wooden coffin elevated and in a | in the Queen of Scot's room, a stouemason struck decayed state it may be, rather more insanitary, the jutting-out stone above-mentioned, which than when laid simply on the ground, as about rang bollow. He had the ouriesity to turn it Shanghai, it would seem. As to Cholera in up, and discovered the remains of a baby wrap the upper districts, at Canton the coffin ped in cloth of gold, and marked "J." Now 1.—Bachelors settling here, if they want to makers declared it a very profitable summer. It is well known that Mary Stuart gave birth to

the anger of the gods or to the machinations of James I. of England and VI. of Scotland? Did expect to be called on unless their sojourn is are resorted to, and medical treatment little be. This will be best answered by asking how they Tamsui magistrate rightly placed the evil and stone, and presumably there he still lies. But 3.—Residents telurning calls. This is im- ordered the filthy streets cleaned. Far up the the questions remain to be answered, If that is there, and lieure many thousands have died of should know it, let alone those whom it may 4.-Christmas and New Year calls are entirely the plague in the Hunan province just beyond, concern even more nearly.

optional, and ought to cease as an institution. It He also remarks a constant dread on the part of is open to ladies who like to be called upon on the people. This we also found in places, as an these occasions to have a reception and send out untavourable feature, specially where they would cards for it in the usual way. (For one thing, shut themselves up in close, damp, uncleanly by-the-way, I never heard of Christmas calls.) abodes; and yet it is probable that the Chinese 5.-The practice of issuing and filling ball accept these things as the inevitable rather programmes before the events. This is a very more stoically than we. I have visited the anticomplicated question. On the whole it would be mortem morgue, whither moribund persons must better for all concerned if the practice didn't | be taken, who are not allowed to die within the exist. It could be stopped in two ways: 1st, if city limits. The half-dozon or so, I found there men came to an understanding amongst them. were less anxious about their dying thus than selves that they would not ask for dances in was I, and yet after once sent to this " place of advance. 2nd, if ladies resolved they would not | rest" no return is expected. At Min Lok there give dances in advance. But the onus of it all | was a prescription of meats to appeare the gods, must be laid on the real offenders, the men who but fruits did not seem to come under the ban, ladies who give the dances. Men take the beginning with the shipping of many soldiers initiative; therefore they are to blame. But it a heavy rain on board the transport India, they seldom blame each other; they prefer where they were "packed like sardines and deto pour the vials of their wrath on the ladies prived of opium," upwards of 60 deaths resulted who cannot very well help themselves. There and considerable excitoment when they were re-

ladies be compelled to enter the ball- Remarking the quite unusual prevalence of room with "clear" programmes and bosa fide Cholera over Kwangtung during the past sumfill up their engagements in the room; but mer, we will not tarry over our native prescripthis would take a large staff of private detectives | tions of the cautery, bleeding, friction, and all the to enforce, and it is hard to say what penalty heroic doses of anything under the sun, since we could be inflicted on either the man who asked or have nothing to equal that of a certain Insurance the lady who gave a dance beforehand. Men are Company in Hongkong which gives us a prethe chief grumblers against the system of filling scription of 29 ingredients, making 46 tacls, of programmes, and they seldom see that the reme- which a little is first to be blown into the nose dy lies in their own hands in not asking for dan- and then taken internally with ginger (not gingerly) and all this to prevent or onre Cholers. 6. A. After dinner calls. A most anwar. Our subject also included Quackery in Kwangrantable tax on men in general. It is quite tung, an interesting study, but we have reached

THE GROWTH OF THE BOMBAY

Dr. Thompson sends us a Chinese circular on

Cholera, which he distributed extensively and

COTTON TRADE. The marvellous growth of the Bombay cotton industry during the last twenty years, with the guest alike to so little and yet may bestow so consequent loss of trade to Lancashire, is causing ruch social enjoyment on both. The great re- much uneasiness in the minds of English cotton summer, hot in winter, and a few sandwiches and for some years it lived but a feeble existence. begin about nine, and be over at Cinderella's England and India. The pressure of that dehour. There should be nothing formal in the pression caused the Bombay spinners to seek a affair, no "proceedings," no "music," no "danc- new outlet for their goods, with the result that (Dancing, by-the-way, is rather an un- a trade was opened up with China and Japan which has cortinued to increase with amazing thing. Human intercourse, in a word. Want | rapidity. There are now in the city of Bombay alone fifty-one working cotton factories, with a bars to this, and one would be sorry to believe million and a half of spindles and 12,752 looms. They consume roughly about 80,000 tons of cotton, and employ 48,000 operatives, inclusive of boys and young women. The interest of the subject is very much enhanced by the fact that a dozen more factories are under construction which, when completed, will add about 250,000 spindles to the present spinning power. In the Bombay Presidency, outside the city, there are now twenty-six working factories, containing 464,000 spindles and 4,000 looms. These factories are all said to be more or less prosperous; not cent. per annum. Wages of course are much lower than in this country, although the increased demand for labour has caused a general rise. The average wage of tar mule minner is about 22s, per month, the best hands surving about 36s. and the worst about 18s. The siders earn from 6s. to 7s. It should be said, however, that these number of operatives employed for the same

In order to ascertain the cause of this extra-

ordinary growth, the board of directors of the

Manchester Chamber of Commerce, acting on

the last month of last year an inquiry into the

the native faculty admit are little apt to oure extent of 56 per cent., whereas the advantage the natives not only did not possess the skill re-On the way I found it very severe at San Ui quired for the trade; but were less competent place, according to report. For these places efficiency was fairly established the trade naturalcoffins had to be brought from Kong Mun and ly began to expand rapidly. And as the skill Fat Shan, and corpses were also buried in mat- of the Indian operatives is likely to still further At present no one seems to know what is ting simply. Here, as at other places, we heard increase, the chances of the Manchester spinners skilled labour at their disposal, the Manchester At Lo Kwan Tong several died while labori- manufacturers should be able, by increased

> Whatever may be the true causes of this rahere, as at other times, we found more manufacture, the fact itself is of immense signicould be learned from the neighbouring vil- ficance. It is possible that we are here face to lages than in the stricken one, from the Chi- face with the beginning of a new industrial rethere is no pestilence, but over youder it is pean agriculturist a competitor with boundless found." So here, when warned against a tiger | natural resources at his disposal, so the develop-"Big Worm" and not given the proper term our manufacturers more formidable rivals still: rivals who have at their command such a re-At Yan Ping and at Young Kong we saw a servoir of cheap labour as we cannot tap. The recurrence of the disease, vomiting and diarrhosa. | chean labour in the East-now that the East is

> > A writer in the Morning Post tells a strange

exchange, it cannot be too often repeated that

brought up elsewhere, the Queen showing small As Dr. Wenyon remarks of Fatshan, where interest in her offspring. Now, supposing the VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

CAPTAIN.

YEASEL'S MANE

studying the different military systems says the Churchill, wherenpon the Tory member waxed French Army is the most deficient in discipline. exceedingly wroth, and called the other gentle-

There is said to be a general coarth of musical talent in Europe, and the critics are in despair. Even in Italy the great operas cannot be given for lack of singers.

The statement is already going about that the German Emperor's latest baby has inherited his father's disease. It is very feeble, and is also declared to suffer from a malformation of the left arm similar to that of the Emperor.

The Marquis of Queensberry is said to have been shocked by the proposal of a New York showmen who offered to give him 2,500 dollars a week if he would exhibit himself in his museum among the freaks of nature: The marquis declined the offer.

A very valuable discovery of gold has been made on the Garn Mountain, at Aber, near six onness of pure gold to the ton of quartz.

before the issue is decided upon.

The following story, it is needless to say, is he does not yet quite understand. from America:- "A family named Smith use a combination bedstead, which serves for an upright piano, dosk, and side board during the day New York whose stock costs him absolutely and a couch at night. The other morning Mr. | nothing. He walks along Broadway, and when Soversiens Smith got up first, and had had scarcely donned he sees a desirable umbrella he stops the man his clothes when he heard a click, and looking who is carrying it, and remarks, "Excuse me,

former entered the store, "what can I do for the umbrella, remarking as he does so, "I was you this morning? And how is everything up looking for an owner for it, and intended to at the house ?"-" All right, I guess. I heard send it to the police head-quarters this aftersistor Clara tell ma that she dreamed about you noon." It is said on every overcast day this last night."-" Is that so?" whispered Featherly, ingenious collector-who is always followed bending over the counter. "And what did your by a boy with a hand-cart-gathers in from ma say !"-"She said that Clara must have seventy-five to a hundred umbrellas, which he eaten something what didn't agree with her."

The traordinary force exerted by growing fungi was shown the other day in a New Hampshire village. It was noticed that a cone about seven inches in diameter was rising in the middle. of an asphalte walk. Beneath it a mushroom was discovered, which had cracked and raised a solid stretch of asphalte two inches in thickness. Those who relish mushrooms must reflect upon the power they introduce into themselves. Keely's motor is scarcely a rival.

From Buda-Pest we learn that a Hungarian lady has applied to the Minister of Finance for permission to establish a lottery. There will be 100,000 tickets at a florin each, but only one prize—the lady herself who intends to marry the lucky "Haupttreffer." Of the 100,000 floring, 40,000 will form the dowry, and the remaining 60,000 will go to charitable purposes. Only gentlemen between the ages of 20 and 40 to be hauled up. His signals were quickly rewill be allowed to purchase tickets.

- A young man from the country bal applied to his phisician for advice. After prescribing the regimen he wished his patient to follow, he added: "And remember, only one cigar after each meal." Some weeks later the young man returned. "Well, my vouthful friend" inquired Esculapius, " how have you observed my rules?" "Protty faithfully, doctor. Only that one cigar after meal business has bothered me some. You should understand that I had—never smoked."

The enemies of Gambetta were wont to assert | 1,000 square metres, or 10,764 square feet. The that he possessed the "Evil Eye," and the same new pavement, it is stated, proved so satisfactory thing has been said of President Carnot by an | that 1,500 square metres (16,146 square feet) of Imperialist paper. The organ declares that he ordinary corriage way in the city were paved possesses a "fixed, glassy, and lugabrious stare," with it this summer. The Berlin Corporation, which is fatal to all upon whom it is directed being favourably impressed with the new pave-In order to prove this assertion, the Bonapartist | ment, has had a large area on the Lützow-Ufer sheet points out that when M. Carnot visited paved with indiarubber as an experiment, and the Cherbourg some a lilors were drowned, when he magistracy of Hamburg is likewise trying the went to Savoy the rivers overflowed their banks | pavement. It is asserted that the new pavement

gentlemen were diving, when a dispute arose as It is not slippery as asphalte, and is more durable to what a pineapple was. One of the diners in than the latter. As a covering for bridges, it sisted that it was a fruit. The other with equal | ought to prove excellent, as it reduces vibration; confidence gave it as his opinion that a pineap but a question may be asked as to its cost. The ple was a vegetable. A bet was made, and the expense must be heavier than that of any known friends determined to accept the decision of the pavement. waiter, who was called to the table. "John." asked one of them, "how do you describe pineapple? Is it a fruit or is it a vegetable? The waiter rubbed his hands, placed his head on one side, and with a pitying smile, replied : "It's neither, gentlemen; a pineapple is a hextra!

In April last Mr. M'Lagan moved in the House of Commons for a return showing various details as to the working of the Temperance law matting, 424 coils rope, 287 packages tea, 270 Songei Koyah Planting Company-\$35 per known as the Scott Act (Canada) of 1878. The correspondence that passed between the Colonial Office and the Governor-General is now published in the form of a Parliamentary Paper. It appears that in the early part of this year elections were held in eight counties for the purpose of revoking the Orders in Council by which the Act had been brought into operation three years before in those counties. These resulted in all cases in the defeat of the Act, that is, in the adoption of the petition to revoke its operations. The paper contains a tabulated statement, drawn up by the clerk of the Privy Council of Canada, of all elections held under the Act since its passing in 1878, and this show that in the great majority of instances, until the elections of this packages fire crackers, 7,249 rolls matting, 2,000 year already mentioned, the votes were cast in bales cassia lignes, 1,850 cases fans, 690 cases favour of the Act. A later despatch shows that two elections have since been held and have resulted in majorities against the Act. The answers to the various questions put by the Colo | cases essential oil, 50 cases joss sticks, 40 bales nial Office are for the most part collected by the authorities in the various provinces of the Dominion. It is generally stated that no compensation was paid in any case when drink shops were closed. In the province of Ontario there was 482 charges of being drunk and disorderly during the last year before the operation of the Act, and 206 charges last year. The total number of prisoners has varied but little in the same province. The authorities of Prince Edward's Island say that the effect of the Act on crime and pauperism has been nothing, except that the crime of perjury has greatly increased,

has for many years been employed as a motive Canton, 14 cases woodware, from Canton, 25 power in France. In the city of Tours there is cases fire crackers, from Canton, and 2 packages an artesian well which drives a hydraulic wheel | bamboos, etc., from Canton. For Port Saidseven metres in diameter, and works the ma. 10 cases fire orackers, and 10 boxes glass bangles. chinery of a silk factory. At Grenelle the heat from Canton. For London-44 boxes essential of the water issuing from a deep well is utilized oil, and 2 boxes treasure, value \$39,200. - For in warming buildings. A project is now before Smyrna-20 boxes essential oil. For Buenes a Commission of the Municipal Council of Paris
having for its aim the utilization of the power
obtainable from the new artesian well in the
For New York—10 boxes ailks, 15 boxes paper, Place Hébert, at La Chapelle, There are now and 40 bales silk. For Autwerp-180 packages three important artesian wells in the Paris merchandise, 58 bales feathers, I case silk, 125 basin; that of Grenelle being the oldest, and bales tobacco, from Manile, and 58 bales hemp, that at Passy the most productive. The new La from Manile. For Genoa-7 bales merchandise, Chapel o well is, however, situated in an indus. For Hamburg -280 bales feathers, 250 packages trial quarter of the 18th arrondissement, and is fire crackers, 60 cases essential oil, and 3 cases thus well adapted for the experiment of producing sundries. For Amsterdam-112 cases preserves, motive power. Besides there are a number and 20 cases merchandise. For Bremen-593 of private artesian wells in Paris belonging to rolls matting, 24 cases merchandise, 10 boxes manufacturers. The La Chapelle well was palm-leaf fans, and 10 balos rattan (shavings), finished in March last, having been begun 24 and 25 cases preserves, from Canton. years ago. It reaches a depth of 720 metres. and the water, left to itself, rise to a height of 35 metres above the month. It furnishes 6,000 oubic metres of water in 24 hours. The proposal This year's New Malwa ... \$650 per picul, alice. of is to utilize the power furnished by the well in generating and distributing electricity for Last year's New Malwa... \$670 per picul, allco. of lighting and motive purposes. One object mentioned is the lighting of the park of the Old and Older Malwa ... 3680 per picul, alloe, of Buttes Chaumont, which is situated near the well. Before now electricity has been generated | Patna (New) ........... \$5721 per chest. in this manner. At Ponce de Leon, in Florida, Benares (New) ..... 5521 ,, there is an hotel having a powerful artesian well, which drives a turbite-wheel and dv. name, thus generating the parrent necessary On London.to light the building and its grounds. At Yankton, in Dakota, there is a flowing well which drives the dynamos of an electric light company. The well is 600ft, deep, and the water on lasning from it is conducted to a

reservoir placed 30ft. above the turbine which

actuates the dynamos.

encounter in the precincts of the House of Com-The inferior physique of a large portion of mons between two extreme politicians of oppothe British Army is attracting attention in Great site views. It is reported that a Home Rule member meeting a Parliamentary colleague of An American officer who has been in Europe to chaff him ment the action of Lord Randolph Mr. "Abram" Clark claims that he is able to upon the upholder of a Separatist policy turned

pronounced Tory views commenced vigorously man a very unparliamentary name indeed. There. make a lens 5 feet in diameter-"one which will and knocked Lord Salisbury's supporter down. bring the moon within a few thousand feet of the and but for the timely interference of a third M.P. the flery opponents would have come to

One of the richest women in the world, the Duchess of Galliera, has just died at her house in Paris. Her Grace was the daughter and heiress of the Marquis de Brignole Sale, a rich Gencose nobleman. She years ago married the Duke de Gulliera, who was very wealthy, but their fortune was enormously increased by judicious speculations Some idea of the Duchess of Galliera's riches and benevolence can be formed when it is said that her husband gave £1,000,000 to the city of Genoa to enlarge the port, and the Duchess 22,000,000 to build a new hospital—the most magnificent in Europe-to enlarge five atreets and to restore churches and charitable institutions.

The most embarrased man in the United States, according to a New York correspondent, Banger. The prospectors have sent specimens is Father James, of Ann Arbor, Michigan. He of the lode to two assayers, who have reported is, it seems, an eccentric old bachelor, and an that the specimens are rich in gold; containing apparently humourous nucle, who recently died, left him a fortune of £50,000 on condition that he should marry within the next five years. The Small Arms Committee, which was ap- This poor old bachelor is in a great quandary in pointed to inquire into the merits of the proposed consequence. The fact of this conditional will new rifle for the Army, is shortly to be dissolved. has become known; and so numerous are the and Mr. Stanbope has conveyed to the members fair applicants anxious to help him through his UN composing it the thanks of the Government. A difficulty that he has had to employ a secretary final pattern of magazine rifle is to be submitted to answer their letters. He is suid to be a confirmed womanhater himself: and how he is to! comply with the conditions of that uncle's will

There is said to be a rich umbrella-seller in around saw the furniture had closed with Mrs. my friend, but you have my umbrella." At least every fourth man thus stopped knows that his title to the umbrells in his possession will not "Well, Bobby," said young Featherly, as the bear investigation, and so he hastily surrenders afterwards sells at the retail price.

> A man named Alexander M Govan, engaged in the Wellington (New Zealand) Harbour improvement works, has just had a remarkable encounter with an octopus. The inf rmation is dated the 3rd ult., and says that M'Govan went down in his diving dress for the purpose of setting some large blocks under the water in which piles had been previously driven. As M'Govan was in the act of placing one of the blocks he was seized by an immense cotopus. The monster fastened on to the piles at the same time. M.Govan at first made an attempt to get clear, but the more he fought with the octopus the more he found that it was useless, as its grip became stronger. He then wisely desisted, and in a few moments had the satisfaction of knowing that the octopus had released its grasp of the piles. This was no sooner done than M'Govan gave the signal sponded to, and up went the diver with the creature on his back. Its legs measured nine feet long. MiGovan certainly had a narrow escape, and it was only by his discreet quietness that he turned the table on the octopus.

The latest innovation is paving streets with indiarubber, which material threatens to enter into competition with asphalts. The new pavement is an invention of Herr Busse, of Linden who has introduced it in Hanover. He used it first in the summer of last year for paving the Goethe Bridge, which has a surface of about and when at Fontainebleau several fires occurred | combines the elasticity of indiarubber with the resistance of granite. It is said to be perfectly At an old-fashioned hostelry in London two miseless, and unaffected either by heat or cold

## COMMERCIAL INTELLIBRATION. WEDNESDAY, 23rd January.

EXPORT CARGOES. Per British bark Velocity smiled on the 10th January:--For Honolulu-1,613 pieces stones, 919 packages wins, 671 packages soy, 604 rolls cases oil, 204 packages sugar, 182 bags beans 171 bags rice, 10 cases flour, 77 cases chinaware, 58 packages fire crackers, 52 cases paper, 43 packages rattan, 40 cases paparware, 32 cases tobacco, 3 · packages bambooware, 28 cases preserves. 24 packages cames, 10 packages camphorwood trunks, and 4,078 packages sundries.

Per British bark Wm. Manson, sailed on the 15th January :- For London-626 packages fire crackers, 450 rolls matting, 300 casks soy, 268 packages canes, 200 casks preserves, 120 tons copra, 84 bales feathers, and 889 packages Government stores.

Per American ship Daniel Barnes, sailed or the 16th January: For New York-10,481 cassia, 400 cases preserves, 178 packages rattan, 151 cases chinaware, 115 packages canes, 112 cases woodenware, 82 packages rattan ware, 70 feathers, 20 packages camphorwood trunks, 10 cases paper, 7 cises earthenware, and 98 pack-

ages merchandise. Per steamship Sutley, sailed on the 16th January :- For London-86,202 lbs. congon, 25,326 lba scented caper, 6,552 lbs. scented orange pekee, 72 cases silk piece goods, 130 bales waste silk, 25 cases bristles, and 109 packages sundries. For France-126 bales fine silk, and 52 cases silk piece goods. For New York-50 bales fine silk and 5 cases milks:

Por German steamer Buyers, sailed on the 20th January :- For Beyrouth-6 cases glass The discharge of water from artesian wells fans. For Colombo—35 cases preserves, from liants and 29.97 to 88 Halphong .... 30.34

Quotations are :--

24 catties. 21 catties. 3 catties.

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North China Insurance—The. 290 per share.

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China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$79

Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited-

Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited-

longkong, Canton, and Macao Steambost Co.'s

indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-

China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited

Douglas Steamship Company, Limited-466 per

longkong Gas Company's Shares \$130 per

longkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$170 per

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$193

Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$80

Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$102 per

Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited

Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining

Company. Limited-\$10 per share, sales.

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A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-100 per cent.

Hongkong & Kowlcon Wharf and Godown Co.,

Singapore Insurance Company, Limited-\$17.50

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Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 per cent.

Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E-11 per cent.

Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin

Hongkong High Level Tramways Company,

East Borneo Planting Company, Limited-\$55

Cruickshank & Co., Limited-\$45 per share.

Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-3121 per

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(From Museus, Patconut & Co.'s Ruemera).

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Phermometer-9 A.M. (Wet bulb)

HINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL

RKGISTER,

Sind January, 1889, at 4 r.m.

25rd January, 1889, at 10 A.M.

The barometer has fallen and gradients for H.B. winds are decreasing. Cool, cloudy, and rather damp weather

Hongkong Observatory, 29rd January, 1889.

METEOROLUGICAL REGISTER.

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the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.

2.—Thermarphy in the shade in degrees Fahrenheit.

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4.—Description of the Wind to two points.

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S. snow; P. thunder; Y. visibility; W. dew (wet).

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Hongkong Observatory, 22rd January, 1889.

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VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

FOR SHANGHAL

"Yangtsze."

Captain C. Tonningsen, will be despatched for

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(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

."KASHGAR."

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Hongkong, 22nd January, 1889.

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Hongkong, 18th January, 1889.

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Hongkong, 16th January, 1889.

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outward German Mail

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FOUR P.M.

P. & O. S. N. Co. .... On 30th last, at Noon Butterfield & Swire ..... On 2nd Fab. Jardine Matheson & Co. On or about 29th inst. Arnhold, Karberg & Co.,. On or about 30th inst, Pustau & Co..... Quick despatch. On or about 31st inst. Adamson, Bell & Co...... Carlowitz & Co..... On or about 5th Feb. Melohers & Co..... On 17th Feb. st 10 A.M. Adamson, Bell & Co..... On 26th inst., at 1 P.M. Hougkong | O. & O. S. S. Co. ...... On 6th F 5., at 1 P.M. P. M. S. S. Co. ..... Russell & Co..... Quick de atch. Arnhold, Karberg & Co... Quick despatch. Quick desnatch. Pustau & Co.... Pustan & Co..... Quick despatch. Adamson, Bell & Co..... Butterfield & Swire ...... Jardine, Matheson & Co., Butterfield & Swire...... P. & O. S. N. Co. ..... P. & O. S. N. Co..... Melchers & Co..... Butterfield & Swire ...... On 28th inst.

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Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Compan/'s Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs. San Francisco. For further information as to Freigh

or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50a, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN. Agent. Hongkong, 9th January, 1889.

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Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay with out transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FERIGHT and Passage apply to the Peninsular ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office. Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are re-

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Hongkong, 18th January, 1889. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

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